

GIVE UP VESLE FRONT

FOUR KILLED IN BOMB ATTACK ON CHICAGO FEDERAL BUILDING

Seventy-Five Others Hurt; Entrance Wrecked==Judge Landis' Court Above

I. W. W. Held Responsible by U. S. Investigators==Haywood in Building at Time==Ten Arrests

CHICAGO, Sept. 4.—A bomb explosion in the entrance of the Federal building this afternoon killed four persons and wounded seventy-five others.

The blast was attributed to the I. W. W. by Philip J. Barry, acting chief of the local Federal investigation bureau.

While the city police were rushing the wounded to hospitals, Federal agents hurried from the building and made two raids on I. W. W. headquarters. Nine men were bagged at those places and a woman was grabbed in a nearby office building. Her identity is being kept secret.

William H. Wheeler, a mail clerk, J. E. Ladd, a sailor from the Great Lakes naval training station, whose home was in Salina, Kas., E. R. Kolkow, a postal clerk, Miss Helen Michiko of Chicago, Shatter, William, were the entrance of the building, and shattered egg window in the first three floors of two buildings across the street. The court room of Judge Kenesaw M. Landis, where ninety-five I. W. W. leaders were given prison sentences a few days ago, is on the sixth floor of the Federal building.

William D. ("Big Bill") Haywood, "unwounded" king of the I. W. W., was in the building at the time of the explosion. With his lawyer he was planning to seek a writ of error to stay the execution of the twenty-year prison sentence given him.

He deplored the outrage and admitted he thought the I. W. W. would be blamed but denied emphatically that any member of the organization had committed the act.

Haywood plainly felt the building tremble with the detonation of the bomb and heard the glass crash in the dome of the structure and the cries of the injured. He appeared calm and did not leave the deputy marshal's office. "I know that this thing happened at this time," he said feelingly. "I know that the I. W. W. will be blamed, but I am convinced in my own heart that no man of my organization was in any way connected with this matter. It would be insane for an I. W. W. to commit such an act at this time."

Daley Again Arrested.

Pete Daley of St. Paul, Minn., who was placed on trial with the other I. W. W. members but was later released by Judge Landis because of his physical and mental condition, was taken into custody for questioning in connection with the explosion early tonight.

Haywood said that Daley practically had been kicked out of the I. W. W. and that it was foolish to connect him with the explosion. "The organization dropped Daley," he said "when he recently entered the Federal building, despite an order of the government authorities that he remain away from the structure."

The bomb, which is believed to have consisted of at least three wire-wrapped steel cylinders charged with high explosive, was carried into the Adams street entrance of the building during one of the most busy periods of the day. Concealed in a suit case and connected with a thin fuse, the device was deposited behind a radiator in the hallway leading to the courtroom. Nearly a hundred persons were in the corridor at the time, at the stamp windows, writing desks and letter registry division.

The explosion came just at 3:10 o'clock. The force of the blast tore the radiator and the case and hurled it twenty feet into the street where it struck and killed a passing woman, smashed the desks, uprooted great slabs of marble from the walls and ground the wood work into splinters.

SENATOR JOHNSON SCORES REMOVAL OF BLUE SKY OFFICIAL

Governor Stephens Appoints Judge Pairs of Kern to Succeed H. L. Carnahan

(Special to The Republican)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—The removal of H. L. Carnahan, commissioner of corporations of California, by Governor W. D. Stephens is described by Senator Hiram W. Johnson as a "blow to efficient public service and a sad loss to the state." The resignation of Carnahan, a Johnson appointee, was asked last week by Stephens for alleged "political activity" in favor of Mayor James Rolph of San Francisco, Stephens' opponent for the Republican nomination for governor.

Johnson's statement in full follows: "If Carnahan has been removed because his politics differ from those who now control the state administration, it is most unfortunate for the public service of California. Carnahan has performed the duties of a most difficult task. To him was intrusted the administration of a new and drastic policy.

any patronage rules of the political game.

"There is nothing of a confidential nature between the office and the governor. Indeed, I have been administered separately and distinctly, never in conjunction with or in any manner related to the governor's office.

Insidious Attacks.

"When the blue sky law was first enacted, there were certain interests in Los Angeles who wished to control the appointment of the office. Carnahan was appointed by me in opposition to them because of his high attainments and his fearlessness.

"His conduct of the office has won the admiration, respect and commendation of all.

"His removal is a blow to efficient public service and a sad loss to the state of California."

Appoints Pairs

STOCKTON, Sept. 4.—Governor William D. Stephens, passing through here tonight, announced the appointment of Judge Howard A. Pairs, of Bakersfield, commissioner of corporations, to succeed H. L. Carnahan.

Carnahan resigned last week at the request of Governor Stephens.

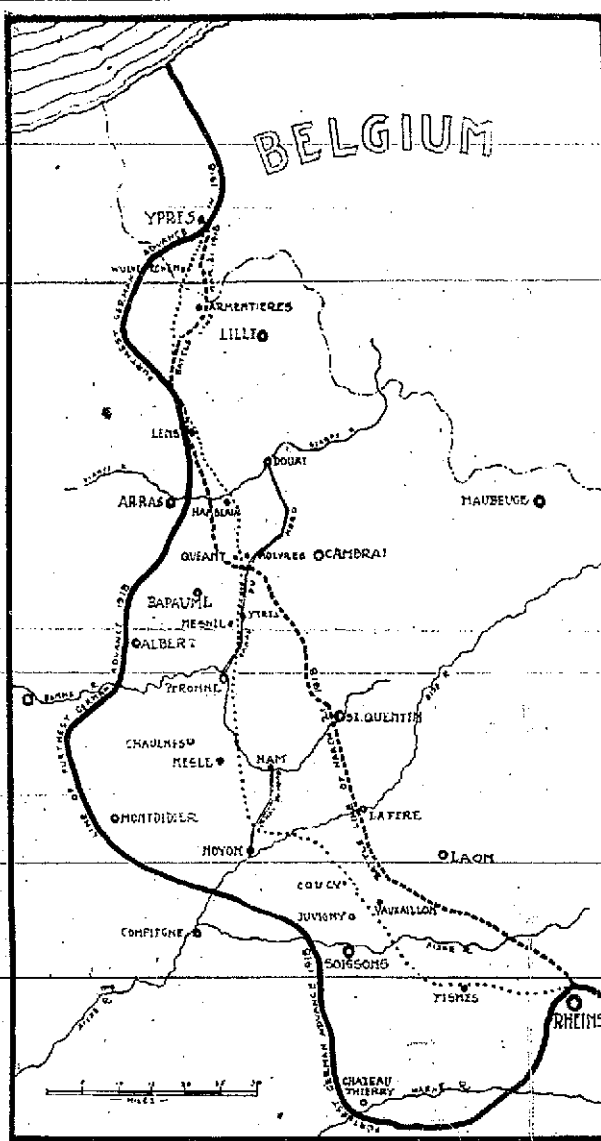
Pairs is now one of the judges of the superior court of Kern county, having been appointed by Governor Hiram W. Johnson about five years ago. He has since been returned to the bench by the vote of the people of Kern county. He has a state-wide reputation for his ability as a lawyer.

Five Years Judge

BAKERSFIELD, Sept. 4.—Superior Judge Howard A. Pairs, of Department Two, Kern county, was assembled by Governor Stephens, as assemblyman from Los Angeles county in the 1915 legislature. He came to Kern county in August, 1912, by appointment of Governor Johnson to succeed the late Judge Paul W. Bennett. In

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WHOLE GERMAN LINE IS NOW IN RETREAT



From Ypres to Rheims by air line is 120 miles. The German battle line running between these two towns, which on July 15 was about twice that length, reaching far south of the Vesle river, and far west of Montdidier, reaching nearly to Amiens on the Somme valley, has been forced back by the victorious Allies, until now its greatest length is only 150 miles, and this is gradually shortening. The dotted line on the map shows the easterly moving Allied line as it was about noon yesterday. Two-thirds of the territory gained by the Germans following their offensive of March 21, this year, has been won back, together with a strip north of Bapaume and south of Lens that has been held by the Germans since their sneak in by way of Belgium in 1914.

The canal Du Nord is a ditch, mostly dry, begun by the French in the years before the Great War broke out, to cut across the River Oise, Somme and Scarpe, thus making an interior waterway from Paris to the North Sea. The Oise empties into the Aisne, the Aisne into the Scheldt into the Atlantic ocean west of Paris. The Canal Du Nord having been completed the ditch has been used by the Germans as a part of their strategic system on the French front.

The battle line westward from Rheims, follows the Vesle river, which flows into the Aisne at Soissons. From this river, on both sides of Fismes, the Germans are now retreating northward pursued by American and French forces.

TWICE BOMBARD CONSTANTINOPLE

Effective Air Work Also Done Against Ostend and Zeebrugge

LONDON, Sept. 4.—Constantinople was bombarded twice in the latter part of August, the admiralty announced today. The arsenal, dock yard, the Turkish war office, the air-drome at Gelina, the airplane base at Gallipoli, and Chanaak were attacked.

The raids, which were carried out by the royal air force, occurred on the nights of August 25-26 and 27-28.

On August 26 and September 1 the royal air force, cooperating with the navy, carried out successful bombing raids on Ostend and Zeebrugge, on the Belgian coast. Thirteen tons of bombs were dropped and large fires were started, the statement announces.

The text of the communication issued by the British admiralty reads: "During the period between August 26 and September 1, the royal air force, co-operating with the navy, have carried out successful bombing raids over Ostend and Zeebrugge, and approximately thirteen tons of bombs have been dropped with excellent results. Large fires were started. Two direct hits were obtained on anti-aircraft batteries and there were many bursts in the docks. In home waters anti-submarine reconnaissance and offensive patrols have been maintained. In enemy waters British submarines, two were destroyed and another was driven down out of control. All our machines returned safely.

"In the Aegean a constant reconnaissance of the Dardanelles has been maintained.

"Constantinople was bombed on the night of August 27-28 with good results.

GERMAN STAND IN FRONT OF CAMBRAI

British Cross Canal Du Nord in Several Places

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, Sept. 4.—(By The Associated Press.)—The British troops are on the Canal Du Nord practically along its whole length from Peronne to north of the Arras-Cambrai road, and in the south at two places, where the canal is only about half constructed, at Ruysselaere and Moislains. Patrols are pushing southward.

Along the canal to the north the enemy is holding the east bank, apparently in great strength and has been using his machine guns freely all day. Patrols have been heavily fired upon. The Germans have destroyed all the bridges and crossings over the canal. Exhausted and in confusion, the enemy is being subjected to heavy shell fire. But the British for the moment are making no attempt to drive him further. It appears that the Germans intend to make a desperate stand here in front of the famous Baurou wood and Cambrai.

The northern part of the Hindenburg line is being cleared. Allied troops are making progress astride it in a southerly direction.

North of Peronne, the British have advanced to the east and, while the violence which characterized those in the past few days, being mainly between strong British advanced parties and German rear guards, additional ground has been gained. The enemy artillery seems to have suffered all along the line.

Rescued From Cellars

Villages which have been taken at the crest of the advance had previously been evacuated by the enemy. In at least one town some French inhabitants, including women, managed to hide themselves in the cellars and after enduring several days of shell fire, first from the approaching British, then from the retreating Germans, finally were rescued.

When British patrols approached the

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HUNS RETREATING ON 150 MILE LINE, YPRES TO RHEIMS

U. S. SOLDIERS TAKE VILLAGES OVER THE VESLE

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—American troops in close pursuit of the Germans retreating north of the Vesle have captured the villages of Bazoches, Perles, Dismette and Bastieux, taking prisoners and machine guns, General Pershing reported in his communique for today, received tonight at the War department.

The American forces, General Pershing said, have reached the general line of Vauxcelles-Blanzyl-Grand Hammeau. American aviators also have successfully bombed the railroad yards at Longueon, Domary-Daroucourt and Comblains.

Flanking East From Noyon, Allies Force Enemy to Aisne

(By The Associated Press.)

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON THE VESLE FRONT, Sept. 4.—A German withdrawal from the Vesle has begun. Combat patrols of Americans and French are close on their heels to the west of Bazoches and eastward to a point beyond Vismes. Smart machine gun resistance is being encountered. By all indications the Germans have withdrawn their main bodies to the north, possibly preparatory to crossing the Aisne. Light forces of Americans have advanced their lines some distance north of the Vesle.

It became apparent today that the Germans had given up the struggle to maintain a foothold north of the Vesle. American and French artillery continued their punishing fire over an area extending to the Aisne without bringing a reply that could be compared in intensity.

The advanced American detachments were confronted with the same sort of machine gun fire that the Germans have used in all other cases recently to hold off the opposing forces, while making good their retreat. But one by one the gun nests were taken by assault or forced to retire.

The withdrawal of the Germans is regarded as a direct result of the enormous pressure against their line extending north of Soissons. It will not be a surprise if a secondary resistance for another brief interval will be made where the line runs back toward Rheims.

It is pointed out that the Germans cannot afford to hold their line long, since the same pressure will be exerted, and they cannot afford to leave a salient at that point. By shortening and straightening their line, with its base on the Chemin-des-Dames, the Germans will be able to release two of the most divisions for much-needed support in other sectors.

The Germans carried out their retreat behind a smoke screen raised on the northern edge of the plateau north of the Vesle. French and American forces went forward quickly and tonight the American patrols are well to the north of the river with numerous towns and villages at their mercy.

ANTON ANDERSON, TURLOCK SOLDIER, AMONG WOUNDED

(Special to The Republican)

TURLOCK, Sept. 4.—Relatives of Anton Anderson, who enlisted from here, received word yesterday that he had been wounded in France on August 16. The message contained no details. Anderson went from Turlock to Camp Lewis over a year ago.

INSUBORDINATION AMONG GERMAN TROOPS REPORTED

CHRISTIANIA, Norway, Sept. 4.—German troops in Estonia are showing signs of insubordination, according to advices received here from Russian sources. The reports state that several hundred soldiers have hoisted the red flag, singing the "Marseillaise." Their officers were powerless to keep order.

At Revel 400 German soldiers and sailors took part in similar demonstrations, according to the reports.

ENEMY PLANNING WITHDRAWAL TO ST. QUENTIN NOW?

WITH THE FRENCH ARMY IN FRANCE, Sept. 4.—(By The Associated Press.)—The Germans appear to be burning supplies and blowing up ammunition dumps in the region north of the Oise river and toward the Noyon-Guiseul road. Many confagurations have been seen as far east as Tergnier and explosions at Ugnay, north of Chauny.

The French cavalry has reached the edge of Guiseul, while the infantry has advanced beyond Crasnoles and crossed the Noyon-Guiseul road and occupied Autremont wood. These indications confirm the general impression that the enemy is preparing for a general retreat south of the Somme toward the line from St. Quentin to La Fere.

THREATEN TO KILL ENTENTE CHIEFS IN REPRISAL FOR RUSS

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 4.—The "Algemeen Handelsblad" of the "Frankfort Zeitung" reports that a member of the Soviet has asserted that the Russian government contemplates informing Entente countries that any further attempts upon Entente statesmen in their own countries.

The same correspondent is quoted as saying that it has been declared in Soviet circles that General Boris Savinkoff organized the recent crimes against high persons in Russia.

RISE IN FOOD PRICES.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—Retail prices of food in July showed an average increase of 3 per cent over prices in June, the department of labor announced today in making public results of an investigation by its bureau of statistics. Retail prices in July averaged 15 per cent higher than in July last year.

DEMAND RUSSIA MAKE AMENDS

British to Hold Members of Bolshevik Government Responsible

LONDON, Sept. 4.—The British government has sent a telegram to the Bolsheviks at Moscow demanding reparation and prompt punishment of those culpable in the attack on the British embassy at Petrograd on Saturday when the embassy was sacked and Captain Cromie, the British attaché was killed.

LONDON, Sept. 4.—(British Wireless Service.)—In its protest against the sacking of the British embassy at Petrograd and the killing of Captain Cromie, the British attaché, the British government declares: "An outrageous attack has been made on the British embassy at Petrograd, its contents have been sacked and destroyed; Captain Cromie, who tried to defend it, was murdered and his body barbarously mutilated."

"We demand immediate reparation and the punishment of any one responsible for or concerned in this abominable outrage."

"Should the Russian Soviet government fail to give complete satisfaction, or should any further acts of violence be committed against a British subject, the British government will hold the members of the Soviet government individually responsible and will make every endeavor to secure that they shall be treated as outlaws by the governments of all civilized nations, and that no place of refuge shall be left to them."

Imbrie at Liberty

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—Vice Consul General Imbrie and all other Americans remaining in Moscow and Petrograd are well and at liberty according to a dispatch received at the state department today from Christiania. The information came from the Norwegian charge at Petrograd.

Supporting Czechs

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—A Czech-Slovak officer has reached Archangel with word that 80,000 Czech-Slovak troops are moving westward along the Trans-Siberian railroad from Ekaterinburg. The news reached the state department today in a message from Ambassador Francis, dated August 28.

Since the officer left Ekaterinburg more than a month ago, further advances by the Czechs have been announced by telegraph, but his report is regarded as important because of the light it throws upon the relations of the Czechs with the people of the country through which they are moving.

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Hopes in Maekensen

LONDON, Sept. 4.—Progress of the war is being watched with intense eagerness by the whole British nation. The most significant feature Tuesday was that the expected German attempt to restore the broken Western line did not materialize. Failure of the enemy to make such an attempt apparently is attributable to the speed and energy with which Field Marshal Haig's army advanced. Informed observers,

LIFE TERMS FOR TEN OF RIOTERS

But Six Negro Troopers
Must Undergo Death
Sentence

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—Death sentences of ten negro soldiers who participated in the riot at Houston, Texas, August 23, 1917, have been commuted to life imprisonment by President Wilson.

In six other cases the president affirmed the death sentences, because the condemned men had been found guilty of having deliberately and with great cruelty, murdered civilians.

This action, announced today by the war department, concludes the case of twenty-nine negroes given the death penalty for their part in the riot. Thirteen were executed and the president was called upon to review the findings in sixteen cases.

The president found that the ten whose sentences he commuted had not been convicted of personally and directly causing deaths. The soldiers involved were not named in the war department's statement.

SEVERAL BILLS
William the last has reigned thirty years at an average cost to humanity of \$5,000,000,000 a year. It is no joke to call him Bill.—Brooklyn Eagle.

GERMANS PLANNED TO ATTACK BRITISH JULY, IN FLANDERS

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Sept. 4.—(By the Associated Press.)—The discovery has been made that the Germans planned to attack the British in July on the Merville sector of the Lys salient, but that they gave up their program because of the German failure in the Marne fighting.

NEGROES AMONG GEORGIA LYNCHERS

MACON, Ga., Sept. 4.—A mob last night lynched John Gilham, a negro, shortly after he had been delivered to the custody of county officers by negroes who had captured him in a swamp near here. Gilham escaped from a chain gang recently and is alleged to have attacked two white women. It was said he confessed.

Sheriff Middlebrooks from whom Gilham was taken reported that he was certain the mob was composed partly of negroes.

TO KEEP CHECK ON WAR DRIVES

State Council Forms
Bureau to Conserve
Giving Capacity

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 4.—Formation of a war donations and speakers bureau, to prevent unauthorized and unworthy war fund campaigns and collections and to stop personal profit in such movements was announced by the state council of defense here today.

The members of the bureau are Jesse H. Steinhart, San Francisco, chairman; William Sproule, P. H. McCarthy, Lyman Pierce, E. J. Tobin, M. C. Sloss, C. K. Macintosh, E. A. Maginnity, M. P. Nelson, A. P. Glanville, San Francisco; Friend W. Richardson, Berkeley; Frank P. Flint, Seth Brown, H. W. O'Melvey, George L. Cochran, Stoddard Jess, Los Angeles; Frank A. Miller, Riverside; Chester H. Rowell, Fresno; H. A. Jastro, Bakersfield; Frank A. Guernsey, Stockton; George "Pres" Tolson; J. L. Edwards, L. Parsons, Oakland; Julius Wagoner, San Diego; W. E. Ramsey, Red Bluff; W. E. Gerber, Sacramento; Ralph W. Bull, Eureka; W. S. Clayton, San Jose.

The council announced the bureau was formed to "conserve the giving power of the public." A plan formed by war workers in Los Angeles to eliminate all possible overlap in war collections was adopted by the bureau.

The bureau announced the prohibition of joint war and non-war drives and the proposed organization of county bureaus to handle local or county fund campaigns. No campaign will be allowed without a permit from the state and county bureaus. It was announced. Non-government campaigns originating outside the state will be cancelled to hold their funds for ten days' investigation.

The bureau announced restrictions compelling speakers for war funds to obtain permits from the county or state bureau.

The widest publicity is to be given all permits granted.

No restrictions were placed on national drives for the Red Cross. Liberty loan or war savings funds.

HUNS SAY ALLIES ARE DISAPPOINTED

By Help Given From
America in Attack
on Germany

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Tuesday, Sept. 3.—(By the Associated Press.)—Although declaring that the German command is not under-estimating the value of American help to the Allies, the Cologne Gazette of August 25 tells its readers that the American assistance will not be sufficient to turn the tide against Germany and it purports to find in General Poch's persistently aggressive policy evidence that he is uncertain about the help he may expect from the American forces.

"Our general staff," the newspaper says, "had estimated that on May 1 there would be about a half million American soldiers on our front. As it has fallen far short of this, it is not surprising that he is uncertain about the help he may expect from the American forces."

"The help has been coming in quickly and steadily but it is insufficient to turn the tables in favor of the Entente. Why does Poch keep attacking now without any respite? Is he skeptical about the reinforcements promised by the United States? Does he fear that before they are transported to Europe or before they have gone through the necessary training the Germans may launch an offensive? Is he compelled to act by the general situation of the front, or by French internal politics?"

"It is certain that he is driven on by unavoidable necessity. Otherwise he would wait before sacrificing his best soldiers and thus increasing the frightful losses of France."

BEATEN TOO IN WORLD INDUSTRY

CHICAGO, Sept. 4.—The Prussian dream of world mastery has been banished by industrial achievements as well as by the courage of armed forces, Lord Reading, British ambassador to the United States, said in a message read by Colville Barclay, British chargé d'affaires here, at the United States government war exposition today, celebrated as British day.

"I feel certain that your exhibition adequately represents the immense efforts of all America," the ambassador's message read. "It will serve to illustrate to every one the marvelous success with which inventors, manufacturers and workers turned from the arts of peace and adapted themselves to altered conditions when the call came."

"For years Germany has been secretly making and storing vast accumulations of every engine of war and article of equipment, confident that by their means she could at her chosen time obtain world mastery."

"The industrial achievements of millions of patriotic men and women, together with the valor of our combined armed forces has banished that Prussian dream and it is in the strenuous months before us we all drive ahead and work hard and fight hard, the time will be brought nearer when Germany will be definitely and decisively beaten. Then the world will be remodeled on the cardinal principles of justice, security and freedom; and force, violence and autocracy will be swept away."

Don't Let Soap Spoil Your Hair

When you wash your hair, be careful what you use. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali, which is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle.

The best thing to use is just plain multifruit coconut oil, for this is pure and entirely greaseless. It's very cheap, and beats the most expensive soaps or anything else all to pieces. You can get this at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family for months.

Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in about a teaspoonful is all that is required. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, fresh looking, bright, fluffy, wavy and easy to handle. Besides, it loosens and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff.

UNCLE SAM TO BUY JEWELRY FOR BIG MELTING POT

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—The government had decided to buy jewelry on scraps of platinum and establish a great melting pot to which citizens will be asked to contribute, in order to get enough of the precious metal for war needs. Platinum rings and other ornaments are sought. They will be paid for at the rate of \$105 an ounce of pure platinum, the regular market price.

Citizens are asked to send their platinum to Raymond T. Baker, director of the mint, Washington, who will have the article assayed and send the check for the value of the metal. Jewels should be removed before sending.

GERMAN STAND IN FRONT OF CAMBRAI

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town of Bourc-S-St. Quentin, three men in civilian clothing started to meet them. On the strength of the story they told, the British troops rushed into the town and there found forty-six persons, thirty of whom were women, hiding. They were helped out and came back during the battle field struggling over shell craters and occasionally menaced by a hail of indirect machine gun fire from the Germans.

It was a strange and pitiful procession. Both men and women had been under the domination of the Germans since September, 1914; they had not seen a single Allied soldier since then, for this was the first time that the ground in the locality of their village had been out of the possession of the Germans since the beginning of the war.

There were unkempt, old Frenchmen, standing at the bare, shell shattered fields and roads alive with troops, and women carrying parcels or hurriedly pushing perambulators bearing their few belongings or children across fields where one of the most furious battles of the war had been fought.

They were almost delirious with joy as they threaded their way to the rear between long stretches of guns, ambulances, horses and khaki clad soldiers. On the road they passed men who had been wounded or killed. The combination of such sights and the grateful emotions at being delivered from the Germans sending tears streaming down their thin cheeks. More than one laughed and cried aloud, as they again trod the free soil of France and tried to thank the soldiers who had helped them from their bondage.

The three men had first come out of the town to meet the British re-advance today, but the rest of the party, becoming frightened by the enemy shell fire, had found shelter in the dugouts up at the front. They were given warm food and advised to remain there for a while.

One man told a story of how when the town was gassed he had searched around until he found a dead German and removed the gas mask, taking it back to his mother, who was hiding in a cellar. On September 1, he said in a cellar, the entire population was evacuated by the Germans. Some decided that, rather than to miss the chance of escape, they would hide and wait for deliverance. The Germans, however, did not leave themselves. Did not take time to search the town thoroughly.

The refugees said that since 1914 the food had steadily become worse until at last it was just enough to keep the people alive. They did not have sufficient strength to work. It was almost impossible for them to get clothing. They had not been allowed to leave their little town since the Germans first swept into it, almost four years ago.

Headquarters reports from the northern part of the front say that further progress has been made at several places along the line.

NEW TEAR GAS TO CAUSE BLINDNESS

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Sept. 4.—(By the Associated Press.)—The Central Powers, it is reported, are soon to make extensive use on the Italian and French fronts of two new gases of a lachrymal type, from which they expect great results. The gases are said to cause permanent blindness.

The American troops have captured German rifles of the latest model. The weapon is the same length as the Springfield, but has a muzzle protector and flash arrester. There is a circular hole lined with steel in the stock, apparently for the purpose of holding the stock to a mount for grenade firing.

BISMARCK, N. D., Sept. 4.—Republican and Democratic state central committees here today re-elected their state chairmen. The non-partisan league held control of the Republican organization but was unable to control the Democratic meeting.

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ing. He says the Russians are pleased with the overthrow of the Bolshevik control and that Bolsheviks are flocking to the support of the Czechs. Leaving Ekaterinburg August 2 on orders from the commanding officer, who had been asked by the Allied consuls to get a messenger to Arranage, the officer arrived at Volga August 13, and at Archangel August 24, after many vicissitudes. He said Ekaterinburg was captured July 25 by 200 Cossacks and that 800 Czechs arrived here on the following day. Citizens supplied the Czechs with food, of which there seemed to be plenty in that region.

According to this officer's story, former Emperor Nicholas was shot on July 16, but the Bolshevik officers withheld the information for two days. The disposition of the body was unknown, but it was rumored that it had been burned in a coal mine. The emperor and the czarovich are said to have been taken by the Bolsheviks from Ekaterinburg to an unrevealed destination.

Danger to Soviets

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 4.—Soviet troops advancing in the direction of Tiflis, and Saratov are in a difficult position, owing to a sudden rising of the peasants, according to a Moscow dispatch to the Berlin Kreuze Zeitung.

Measures are being taken, it is said, to suppress the revolt.

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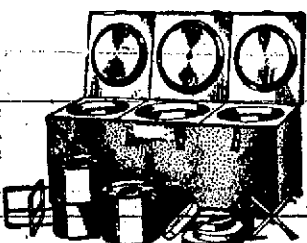
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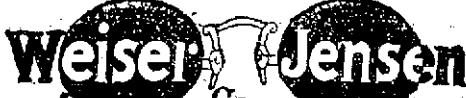
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CROWDED STREETS

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Then came the era of automobiles, and the present congestion. Even in the newer cities of the western world, with their broad straight streets, there are simply not square feet enough on the streets to hold the vehicles. This situation has been made worse, in America by our habit of congesting business many stories high in a small section of the middle of town. When the left district of New York dumps fifteen stories of people at 5 o'clock every afternoon into its three-story streets, there is literally not room even for the pedestrians on the one story partly assigned to them. Private vehicles are hopeless, and public transportation has been driven underground and overhead. Curiously enough, the solid earth is left for the lightest traffic, while expensive structures are built to elevate or bury the heavy traffic. In San Francisco the congestion of traffic on Market street has made that thoroughfare practically impassable at rush hours.

In smaller towns like Fresno there is still room for all the pedestrians and all the moving vehicles, if something could be done with the standing vehicles. But obviously a vehicle not in use must stand somewhere, and our inherited city planning has provided nowhere except the streets for it to stand. Driving the automobiles from the most congested streets to park in the neighboring streets is perhaps the best temporary makeshift. All the larger cities have already adopted it, and the smaller cities will doubtless come to it.

For the period of the war this will do, since there will be no new automobiles made and some of the old ones will wear out. But when the war ends and automobile manufacturing is renewed, the situation will soon become intolerable. Cities will have to be made over. We predict that in the business districts of the larger cities the sidewalks will have to be elevated and the street cars and suburban trains will be run underground, leaving the entire width of the street from building to building for automobiles, a second story of brick-lined balconies for pedestrians, and an underground burrow for both passenger and freight trains of heavier caliber. Smaller cities may approximate this by abolishing grade level sidewalks in the business districts. Newer cities will meet the problem by setting aside entire vacant squares for parking purposes. But this can hardly be done in the older cities already solidly built up.

It would not be strange if this rebuilding of cities to meet the automobile era were scarcely completed when another rebuilding to meet the aeroplane era would become necessary. There is no place for aeroplanes in the streets, and as buildings are now constructed there is no way to land them on the roofs. When a city the size of Fresno has a thousand aeroplanes and a city the size of San Francisco has ten thousand, there will simply be no place to start or stop them, in or around cities as now built. We must look for a revolution in our ideas of housing and city planning, possibly even to the extent of abolishing cities entirely.

Meantime, our problem is with the present congestion. It can be met in the smaller cities by the makeshifts which have already met it in larger cities.

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DIRECT PRIMARY

Discussing the fact that many primary elections this year have been perfunctory and have resulted in the nomination of about the same candidates whom the bosses would have selected under the old system, the New York Evening Post points out that this is nothing against the direct primary system, since its greatest usefulness is in an emergency, when the people are aroused, and it is doing well enough at other times if it does no worse than the old system did at its best. "The direct primary," says the Post, "and the direct election of senators are intended to give voice and room for genuine popular action. They predicate an electorate strongly moved. They open the door for insurgents to have the ears of masses of the people. But wanting these conditions they remain just a perfunctory electoral form which is in the hands of the boss and of which anybody in normal times can make use."

This states the case clearly and very exactly. Any political procedure likely to be perfunctory a great deal of the time, and it is often better that it should be so. It was better, for instance, in the recent election in California, that most of the incumbents in administrative offices should be unopposed for re-election and should receive quite as a matter of course the nominations of all the parties. The old convention system would have compelled artificial contests as to these offices, even when there was no conflict of opinion in the public mind. On the other hand, in a few of these cases in which there was a real situation calling for a change, or a real issue, contests did arise, and they were usually settled right. Even the renomination of Governor Stephens by the Republicans of California was in part a manifestation of the same perfunctory willingness to let well enough alone, which would have made his renomination equally a matter of course by a party convention.

Under our American system of the long ballot and of election days set by the calendar the perfunctory choice of candidates is not always objectionable, and it is not seriously injurious if those who are professionally expert in the business of politics manage at such times to use the machinery of popular nomination for the benefit of persons of their own choice. The evil of this manipulation under the old convention system was not in the times when nobody cared, but precisely in the times when the people did care and when the bosses, controlling misrepresentative conventions, foisted upon the people candidates whom they did not want. This can not happen under the direct primary.

There is no way to prevent the people from abdicating their self-government to the professionals whenever so little is involved that they are unwilling to take the trouble to conduct their own government. There ought to be no obstruction to their resuming control at any time, when anything is involved which they care anything about. The direct primary supplies the machinery for doing this. If it does not compel the people to govern themselves, it at least permits them to do so. This is as much as conservative advocates of it ever claimed that it would do.

"FOR NOTHING"

One of the things which public ownership and public control are doing is to explode the "something for nothing" delusion. The little service and extras which were not charged in the bill were precisely the things upon which buyers were inclined to insist most strongly. Of course, in the long run they were charged, not in one bill, but in all bills, and if they were too much, then there was extravagance and waste. The government is stopping this. It is curtailing free deliveries. It has forbidden the newspapers to supply free copies to anybody. It has stopped the telephone companies from sending free messages of inquiry regarding the delivery of other messages. Such messages if sent must be paid for. It is requiring the telephone companies to charge for installations and changes of instruments.

All these things seem like additional charges. If you pay ten cents extra for delivering your groceries, or two or three dollars extra for changing your telephone, you probably think you are paying more than you would have paid if there were no such extra charges. In reality you pay less, because these charges were formerly included in the general bills. If they are paid now only by those who incur them, the general bills will not go up so fast under war costs as they would otherwise have done.

It was always true that the cheapest way to get anything was to pay for it, and that the thing which you got for nothing was an expensive extravagance. Public operation and public regulation are making this truth more visible.

Lentine is very much like the Democratic party. He is killed with care; frequency, but somehow refuses to stay dead.

TELEPHONE REVENUE

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—Net income of sixty-one of the largest telephone companies of the country increased \$337,000, or 12.3 per cent last March over that of the same month the year before, according to figures made public today by the Interstate Commerce Commission. Total operating revenue increased \$1,664,577, or 7.6 per cent. The report shows, however, that for the three months ending with March the net income of the companies decreased \$1,143,571, or 7 per cent compared with the same period of 1917.

PARIS, Sept. 4.—The son of Dr. Clemens Dittmann, former German imperial vice consul, has been killed in the battle front, according to the Zeitung of Zurich.

Fresno's Yesterdays

Taken From the Files of the FRESNO REPUBLICAN

Forty Years Ago.

The election of a supervisor for district No. 1, to succeed Major Hensley, whose term expires this fall will take place next Wednesday, Sept. 4th. The announcement of Jacob Myer of Fresno, as a candidate, will be seen in the Republican. Mr. Myer is a prominent merchant, a German by birth, and a very active and capable business man. Mr. Hensley is an old resident of the county and is well known as an honorable and intelligent citizen. He lives well up in the fast lane and is engaged in stock raising. It is said that Major Hensley, present incumbent, is also a candidate. These gentlemen are all well known, and as there is no special local or political question in issue, the election will probably be decided by personal popularity.

Twenty Years Ago.

Frank Keller is putting up an electric light plant in Selma to supply the town with lights. Yesterday the machinery arrived and the work of rushing the plant to completion is now in progress. Steam power will be used to actuate a 500 light dynamo, which will generate enough electricity to illuminate the town and also furnish lights for the residences. Eight arc lamps will be used to light the town. Already nearly 500 subscribers have been obtained for electric lights in their homes and residences. The plant will cost \$2000 and will have a capacity sufficient to furnish all the lights needed for several years. The plant may be enlarged whenever occasion requires it.

Ten Years Ago.

To be thrown from the back of a bucking, plunging horse, over an embankment, in the rocks ten feet below, to have the most fearful top of his head and to subsequently take seven stitches in his own lacerated face while his daughter held a small hand mirror in front of him, is the thrilling experience of Dr. W. P. Miller, who yesterday returned from his camping trip in the King's River canyon.

FRENCH PLACE NAMES PUT IN YANKEE SOUNDS

The Republicans will, from day to day, publish in this column translations of the names of French place names now appearing in war reports. It should be understood by readers unfamiliar with French names that these spellings given here are only approximations, partly because many French names are not found at all in English and partly because it is difficult to find a good English equivalent for French sounds. It is indicated which one is intended in the particular case. It will be found, however, that these values given here are fairly close to the true ones. If the following rules are kept in mind, French speech is best imitated by accenting every syllable equally, with possibly a greater stress on the last.

The "u" or "ou" sound at the end of a syllable is a very slight one, best imitated by dropping the sound altogether rather than by pronouncing it, as is usually done, as "me."

The "a" sound as in "sawyer," "battalion," and the like is pronounced as "a" in English, but pronounced as much shorter as to approach the sound of "a" in "ago."

The "e" sound as in "ever" has the value of a consonant.

In the English equivalents here given, the values usually attached in American schools, such as those in Webster's dictionary, are employed.

Spelled. Pronounced.

Argentan. Ar-jen-tan.

Arras. Ah-ras.

Bouchavesnes. Boo-shav-es-nas.

Bullecourt. Bul-le-cour.

Cagnicourt. Cahn-see-cour.

Chaunoy. Show-noy.

Chemins-des-Dames. Shi-ma-dee-dahm.

"de" as in "at."

Douai. Doo-ai.

Epannecourt. Ep-an-ee-cour.

Estaires. Es-tair.

Graincourt. Gra-cour.

Hann. Zhan.

Jully. Zhi-ee-ye.

Laon. Law.

Lez. Loh.

Lille. Leel.

Mouyres. Mu-yr.

"ou" as in "up."

Nord. Nor.

Noyon. Nwah-yon.

Peronne. P'-ron.

Quenay. Kah.

Quenay. Kah-ta.

"as in 'at'."

Rancourt. Rahn-cour.

Rouv-le-Petit. Rwee-l'-P'-lee.

Solaux. Swah-saw.

Vant. Vahnt.

Vail. Vail.

Vauxhallon. Vauks-al-vau.

Watchful Waiting!



SEVEN SOCIETIES IN JOINT DRIVE

Is Decision of President on Campaign This Winter

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—President Wilson has decided that the seven recognized societies doing welfare work among the American soldiers at home and overseas shall conduct a joint campaign for the funds necessary to carry on their work during the coming year.

The President's decision was communicated to Chairman Raymond D. Feidick of the commission of training camp activities, who in making public the President's letter tonight, announced that the campaign would be conducted during the week beginning November 11 and that the American people would be asked to give \$170,000.00 to the organizations.

The budget is divided as follows:

Y. M. C. A., \$100,000.00.

Y. W. C. A., \$15,000.00.

National Catholic War Council (including work of Knights of Columbus and special war activities of women) \$30,000.00.

Jewish welfare board, \$2,500.00.

American Library Association, \$3,000.00.

War Camp Community Service, \$15,000.00.

Salvation Army, \$3,500.00.

BATTLE LINE IS 60 MILES SHORTER

Is Decision of President on Campaign This Winter

PARIS, Sept. 4.—The Entente Allies have reduced the length of the western battle front by nearly 60 miles since July 19 by pressing back the Germans in the territory which they conquered in their offensives of March, April and May. This placed at the disposal of the Entente Allied commander-in-chief a considerable number of divisions that heretofore have been engaged in holding the line.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 4.—Charles W. Drysdale, 45, prominent in San Francisco as a marine architect, dropped dead in his office here today, supposedly from an attack of heart failure.

J. B. HILL CO.

HAY and GRAIN

All kinds poultry feed—wheat middlings, oats middlings, rice middlings, ground barley feed, choice seed grains, red oats, barley, wheat, alfalfa seed.

SHIP DELIVERIES BREAK ALL RECORDS

When People Assemble In Your Home

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—Delivery of merchant ship by American shipyards in August exceeded all previous records for the country. Chairman Hurley of the shipping board was advised today by Charles M. Behr, director-general of the Emergency Fleet Corporation, that 66 ships, aggregating 346,145 deadweight tons, were turned out.

Forty-four of the ships, of an aggregate deadweight tonnage of 260,645 tons were steel, and the remaining twenty-two were wood or composite.

QUARTER AT NOGALES

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—Satisfactory conditions were reported to the state department today from Nogales, Arizona, scene of the serious Mexican border trouble last week. General Calderon of Sonora, is said to be willing to make any concessions to restore order.

HOLD CONFERENCE ON FOOD MATTERS

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—A new food program, embracing plans for further war time conservation of food products, was discussed today by Herbert C. Hoover, food administrator, and Federal administrators from all the states, called here for a two-day conference. Hoover outlined the work accomplished on his recent trip to Europe.

When People Assemble In Your Home

For war-time work or any other purpose, you will be proud to own and display our quality furniture.

Your friends will admire it and will commend your good taste. It will be a source of pride and satisfaction for many years.

For 23 years our Furniture and Home Furnishings have been famous for quality and permanence—Furniture of the dependable kind—the kind you will admire as much 10 years hence as the day you make your purchase—the kind that costs the least in the long run—the only kind one should buy during these war times.

When You Think of Rugs

SOCIETY

Mrs. George Oshourne and her niece, Mrs. Elmer, have returned from San Francisco for a few days' stay in town and are stopping at the Hotel Fresno.

Mr. and Mrs. Festus C. Lewis are anticipating a visit from Miss Elsie Noyes, of Sacramento, who will arrive at the week-end for a fortnight's sojourn in town and at the Lewis ranch near Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Seymour and two little daughters, Sylvia and Patricia, have been enjoying a week's visit in Carson City with Mrs. Seymour's parents. Mr. Seymour and daughters returned yesterday, leaving Mrs. Seymour in Nevada for several days' added visit.

Miss Flora Lewis left yesterday for a two weeks' outing in Santa Cruz and Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gundelfinger have returned from a several weeks' very delightful trip to Lake Tahoe, Del Monte and adjacent points of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva E. Snow and the latter's mother have returned from an interesting sojourn in their mountain ranch, "Alvadora," near Pine Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Ferguson left last night for an outing at their mountain ranch at General Grant.

Bishop and Mrs. Louis Childs-Sanford leave today for Newport Beach, where they will enjoy a several weeks' sojourn, joining their children and the former's sister, who have been spending some time there.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Ott, of Antioch, will arrive at the week-end for a visit with the latter's sister, Mrs. Bert Cardwell.

Friends of Lieutenant and Mrs. Austin Brown will be interested in the announcement of the advent of a little daughter in their household. Lieutenant Brown is overseas in the aviation service, and congratulations are being forwarded to Mrs. Brown at Ada, Oklahoma, where she is spending the period of her husband's absence with his parents. Mrs. Brown is better remembered in Fresno as Miss Lillian Farrar.

A marriage of interest to many Fresnoans was celebrated in Stillwater, Kansas, on Sunday, when Lieutenant H. R. Green and Miss Frances L. Ellis plighted their troth at a pretty ceremony at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Ellis in Stillwater. The young army man received his commission recently at Camp Fremont, and will return there shortly. His wife will join him there, and their future home will be governed by army orders.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Votrell and daughter Franka, and Mrs. P. F. Shurman, have returned from a week's outing in San Francisco.

The Roosevelt Mothers' Club will hold the first full meeting this afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. H. Kottel on Monroe avenue. Business written by members of the club will be read.

The Community Auxiliary of the Red Cross will hold its regular meeting today at the First Congregational church at 9 o'clock.

The Intermediate Society of the North Side Christian church will hold its regular meeting this evening at the home of Fred Gilstrap, 428 Abby street, at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Schlen have returned from Georgetown, California, where they have spent the summer with the former's parents.

The Rutland Ladies' Aid will hold its next meeting on September 13 at the home of Mrs. J. M. Emmick.

Mrs. A. A. Sadler, who recently underwent an operation at a local sanitarium, is now convalescing at her home on Madison avenue.

A meeting was held at the Odd Fellows hall on Tuesday for the purpose of organizing a Danish Red Cross Auxiliary of Fresno. There were 23

Tracy Justice Joy Riding In Town, Arrested.

Unable to stop Judge J. D. Looney of Tracy, who was driving an auto along J street while in an intoxicated condition, by telling him he had a flat tire, Traffic Officer Nicely, accomplished his purpose by exchanging his motorcycle for a bike and rode up to the judge offering to buy his machine. As the judge had proceeded but slowly from Tulare to Tracy, Nicely dismounted his motorcycle and borrowing a wheel from a boy, rode alongside when he made the arrest.

Looney was arrested on the charge of violating the motor act by driving a machine while in an intoxicated condition. No time has yet been set for a hearing.

He offered Nicely \$20 to place him on the highway and start him home. The following note was found among his effects:

"Mr. Frader: This will certify that I love Judge Looney and respectfully wish you would buy him a drink and I will settle with you the first time you are in Tracy. Respectfully,

"JOHN E. GEORGE."

Looney was released on bail by Judge Briggs yesterday evening.

present, all of whom signified their willingness to take up the work. The officers elected were Mrs. J. H. Mori, chairman; Mrs. J. N. Bannister, secretary; Mrs. A. Nielsen, treasurer. It was decided to meet at the Red Cross headquarters for work for the remainder of the month on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday. On the first of October they will commence work at their regular headquarters.

Miss Dorothy Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Jones, of White avenue, is spending a few weeks' vacation at San Francisco with her uncle, Robert McMahon.

Mrs. Frank Bristow and family have returned from a two weeks' vacation at Shaver Lake.

Miss Margaret O'Donnell, teacher at the Jefferson school, who has been ill and under treatment at a San Francisco hospital is improving rapidly and will soon be able to return to her home in San Jose.

A wedding which will come as a surprise to their many Fresno friends occurred at the home of Frank L. Emmick in Seattle, on September 2, when Miss Margaret Faucher became the bride of Joseph A. Reles, who is now serving his country at Camp Lewis in the heavy artillery. This is the culmination of a pretty romance which had its beginning two years ago. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Faucher of this city, and has a host of friends here. The groom is the son of A. W. Reles, also of Fresno, and is the junior member of the firm of Hughes, Sweet & Reles. The young couple will make their home in Tacoma, Wash., till the groom leaves for overseas service when the bride will return to Fresno to remain with her mother till after the war.

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200 FRESNO BOYS LEAVE FOR CAMPS TOMORROW

Roll to Be Called at Municipal Auditorium at 1 O'Clock

Boys Will Entrain for Camps Kearny and Linda Vista at 8

More than 200 Fresno county boys will leave for training camps tomorrow night at 8 o'clock. Of this total 61 are from the city and a majority of them are June, 1918, registrants. Most of the boys will go to Camp Kearny. Some of them will be sent to Linda Vista.

Contrary to custom, the draft boys will not answer roll call today—a day before their departure. Instead, they will answer to their names at 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the Municipal Auditorium. Although no program has been arranged, Mayor Toomey will go to the Auditorium before the boys take up the first lap of their long journey to France and bid them farewell and goodspeed on behalf of the city.

The Red Cross will serve the boys a light luncheon before they leave for the train. They will be escorted to the depot by the Spanish American war veterans, the High School band and the uniformed fifteen workers of the Red Cross. The Musicians' Union band will lead the procession.

The boys who leave tomorrow comprise the contingent called by Provost Marshal Crowder to leave for training camps during the four-day period beginning September 3 and ending September 6. The Fresno boys, because the city board was obliged to await the outcome of physical examinations last Friday before making up its quota, will leave on the final day off the period.

1500 Pass Through City

Last night 1500 San Francisco draft boys passed through Fresno on three darkened trains. The first contingent of 500 arrived at 8:45, tumbled off the trains and filled the entire downtown district with yells and songs for nearly an hour. Their route through the Courthouse park, lock-stepped up and down Mariposa street, bought up all the pop and peanuts and popcorn they could find and acted like a lot of carefree youngsters on a picnic.

Executive Secretary Roy Marshall, of the county exemption board, announced last night that he had received a call for limited service men to serve as clerks to local exemption boards and medical examining boards throughout the state. He did not know whether the use of draft men for these posts would cause any changes in the organization of the three Fresno boards or not.

Writes for Information

Four families of industrious people in Buffalo, N. Y., want to know how to make their home, according to a letter received yesterday by the Chamber of Commerce. The letter was written by H. G. Haroutunian, who states that his party is interested in raising chickens, grapes and melons.

Band to Escort Soldiers

The Musicians' Union will give a band escort for the drafted men Friday night for which about 25 pieces are expected. Secretary W. F. Holden requests all bandmen to be at the auditorium at 7 p. m. Friday night.

Zenovich Funeral

The funeral services of Marka Zenovich, who died in Sacramento several days ago, will be held at 1:30 o'clock today. Stephens & Bean have charge of arrangements.

TO HONOR JEWISH NEW YEAR HERE

Beginning tomorrow night at 7 p. m. festivities will be held in the Pazar lecture hall in honor of the Jewish New Year. The subject of the first sermon is "Why God Gave the Ten Commandments on Two Tablets instead of One," with A. S. Buttfield as speaker.

Other programs will be held Saturday, September 7 at 7:30; Sunday, September 8, at 7:30; Sunday, September 15 at 6:30, and Monday, September 16 at 7:00.

Tickets may be secured from Mr. Samuels, 250 I street.

WOULD FORECLOSE LAND MORTGAGE

Elizabeth K. Lynne, filed a suit against W. A. Plato and Jacob Hockenberry et al. for foreclosure of a mortgage on lot 15 Montpelier tract, and also on the northeast quarter, section 9, township 15 south, range 12 east, 140 acres situated near White's bridge to secure a note for \$2,000. The interest amounting to \$310. Warlow & Warlow filed the suit.

WOULD ENFORCE COURT'S ORDER

Dr. J. L. Macginn was granted a writ of execution by Judge D. A. Cushing against Solomon and M. A. Cuning & Co., Inc., for \$1,650. The amount was due on a judgment of the Supreme court, when the corporation had previously carried the case.

NEIL-WHITE & CO
MARIPOSA ST. (1937) AT JAY

Gray

is the scarcest and most popular leather in the United States today.

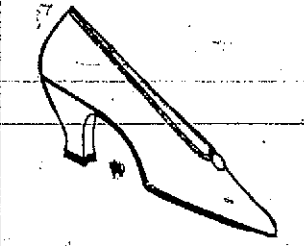


GOVERNMENT permitted it to be made into shoes this FALL only. (After Oct. 1st—"NO.")

Despite the big advance in leather costs, owing to the great scarcity, we are selling these all gray kids (as out) at \$15.00.

One with gray cloth top and French heels \$14.00

A beautiful model with gray kid vamp, lace, English last and Cuban heels, long tapering vamps \$9.50



GRAY KID PUMP, perfectly plain, very long vamps, but extreme in heels \$8.00

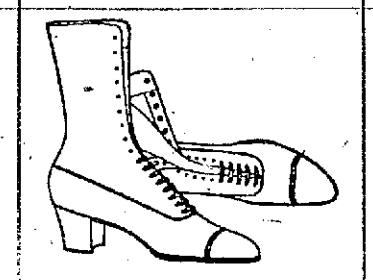
Same style in gray suede \$8.00

Buckles and Spats in many styles, 50c and up.

While—

It is somewhat early to mention FALL FOOTWEAR. We are fortunate to be favored by some manufacturers who have sent us ADVANCE SHIPMENTS of many shoes that will be prohibitive in 30 days to manufacture. Some one's loss your gain, if you desire Originality AND AT A LOWER PRICE.

The New "Brown" Walking Boot



(As Illustrated)
Havana brown calf (high cut) lace boot with high Cuban heels... \$9.00
Tobacco brown lace boot, imitation wing tip \$8.50
Others at \$6.50, \$7.50 and \$8.

AND here are the authentic leathers—the colors that have Uncle Sam's official O. K.—and the lasts and patterns that have MADAM VOGUE'S sanction.

CHILDREN'S SHOES for all kinds of wear. As much care given as in fitting the OLDER FOLKS.

MAIL ORDERS FILLED WE PREPAY CHARGES

NEIL-WHITE & CO
MARIPOSA ST. (1937) AT JAY

NEW DRESSES, SUITS, COATS, MILLINERY—ARRIVING DAILY

Special Sale Of Sample Blankets Next Monday

Remember the wonderful values we offered in good dependable sample Blankets last year?

This Year's Sale Will Be Even Greater

PREPARE TO SUPPLY YOUR BLANKET NEEDS FOR SEVERAL YEARS—WATCH FOR DETAILS LATER

SPECIAL VALUES IN PRETTY APRONS



KIMONO STYLE OUT SIZE Aprons \$1.25

They open down side front to the waist with bells all around. Made of good quality fast colored striped percale. A really splendid value at \$1.25

SLIP-OVER STYLE \$1.50 PERCALE Aprons \$1.50

In a nice assortment of pretty blue, pink and lavender percale, trimmed with neat rickrack braid. Made in the popular V-neck style.

Aprons With Large Collars and Pockets

In plain pink, blue or stripes. Have wide belts. The quality of material and workmanship is of the very best. The quality of every garment is a real bargain at \$1.75

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Einstein's
Where Price and Quality Meet

For Bargains in Household Goods Visit Our Bargain Basement

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Shavings, Sawdust and Blocks
Box-Shook-and-Gleats
Doors and Windows
Cases and Cans for Honey

Safe Milk for INFANTS and INVALIDS

ASK FOR The Original Horlick's Malted Milk

Non-alarming Digestible No Cooking
For Infants, Invalids and Lying Children, Rich Milk, Malted Grain Extract in Powder
The Original Food-Drink For All Ages. OTHERS are IMITATIONS

I Have a Truly Wonderful Line of BOYS' CLOTHES

---So Says BART HARVEY

There was never a time in the history of this institution when the boys' department was so full of good things as right now. I have "plunged" on boys' stuff and you'll find that in plunging I secured some rare values indeed.

You'll find bigger assortments here and you'll find prices so modest that you will marvel how it was managed.

"DUBBEL BILT" SUITS FOR BOYS

Backed By a Pledge of 6 Months Service
\$12.75 and \$16.75

Something new! Shown in two grades only and if they rip, hole or tear within six months they will be repaired free. Made from specially selected fabrics, every wear seam double locked, each pocket double sewed, knees, seats and elbows reinforced.



Mothers! —Get the Boys Ready For School

STYLE-PLUS Clothes for Men

\$25 and \$30

"No More—No Less"

The time has come when men will choose their clothes with greater care than ever before, for these are days when every penny counts and when quality means more than ever before.

"STYLE-PLUS" Clothes are the logical clothes to select for they carry quality and they are priced as low as good clothes can be sold for.

The same price all over the world and every suit so carefully made that the manufacturer guarantees the customer against disappointment.

Boys' Underwear

No store in Central California will show such good qualities at as low a price as you will find right here.

\$1.00, \$1.50

Boys' Stockings

If you have experienced trouble in getting stockings that will give big service then try the kind we sell.

25c, 35c, 45c

Boys' Shoes

More and more are mothers sending their boys to this store for their shoes. Every pair chuck full of service.

Boys' Shirts

Both school and dress shirts here in varied assortment. Made to look well, wash well and to wear well.

\$1.00 to \$2.00

Boys' Hats

Hats and caps here to fit every head. Not high priced, but exceptionally high qualities and big assortments.

75c to \$2.00

Children's Suits

The latest novelties in ages 2 to 8. Velvets, Serges, Corduroys, etc., well made, smart and stylish. Fine qualities.

\$2.50 to \$5.00

\$5.50 Up

Bart Harvey

Successor to IVERSEN & HARVEY Corner J and Tulare Streets FRESNO, CAL.

U. S. WON'T SUPPLY STRIKE BREAKERS

And Los Angeles Ice
Companies Refuse to
Accept Mediator

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 4.—Refusal of the local bureau of the federal employment service to furnish men to take the place of ice wagon drivers who are on strike here and announcement of the ice companies that they would not submit their dispute with their employees to a board of arbitration the third member of which was named by "an outside party," were developments in a strike which has interfered with the delivery of ice in Los Angeles. C. T. Connell, federal labor mediator, had agreed to name Stephens G. Long, United States commissioner here, to serve on a board of mediation containing a representative named by the drivers and one named by the ice companies.

In refusing the request of the employees for men to take the place of the strikers, Emil J. Berancho, examiner in

NO WIDOWS TO BE ALLOWED MEN?

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 20.—(Continued from page 1.) Enactment of a law in Germany to prevent widows remarrying so as to leave the few available men for small women is urged in a letter to the Tagblatt by a Munich doctor, Hans von Hertig. He points out that widows, remarrying after the war would have a detrimental effect on the birth rate. "On December 1, 1910," he writes, "there were in Germany about 300,000 widows between the ages of 15 and 45. At a very modest estimate there are now 500,000."

MELBOURNE, Sept. 4.—Baron Forrest, three times treasurer of the commonwealth of Australia, has died at sea, while on a voyage from Australia to England.

The drivers have asked for increases in wages and an adjustment of hours.

ATHLETIC BADGE TEST FOR BOYS

Something entirely new, but which all attentively inclined boys will welcome is the new badge test being started in Fresno by Raymond Quigley, superintendent of public playgrounds. The movement is national and covers three grades of tests, the winner of a badge, displaying his prowess in athletics, will obtain recognition wherever he may be. The tests are along the lines of the old Greek athletic contests and will be held annually throughout the country.

The Playground and Recreation Association of America has adopted the following as standards which every boy ought to be able to obtain:

First Test.
Pull up (climbing)..... 6 times
Standing broad jump..... 8 ft. 6 in.
50 yard dash..... 14 sec.
100 yard dash..... 35 sec.

Second Test.
Pull up (climbing)..... 9 times
Running high jump..... 4 ft. 6 in.
220 yard run..... 5 min. 30 sec.

Third Test.
Pull up (climbing)..... 12 times
Running high jump..... 5 ft. 6 in.
440 yard run..... 4 min. 30 sec.

No boy is permitted to receive more than one badge in any one year. It is necessary to qualify in all three events in any one class in order to receive a badge.

There shall be but one trial in climbing, one in the dashes, and three in the jumps.

1.—Pull Up (Climbing).
A portable climbing-bar in a doorway, a horizontal bar in the gymnasium, or the rungs of a ladder set at an angle against a building may serve the purpose.

Each contestant begins with his hands on the bar. Then with his arms straightened at full length he pulls himself up without a kick, snap, jerk or swing, until his chin is above the bar, lowering himself again until his arms are straight, he repeats the "pull-up."

2.—Standing Broad Jump.
Wherever possible, it is best to prepare a jump-pit by digging up a piece of ground about 40 feet, and have a wooden or metal strip 2x1 inches imbedded in the ground at one end of the pit flush with the surface to serve as a "take-off." It is also well to mark off 5 feet 9 inches and 4 feet 4 inches from the "take-off" and the pit is allowed—three jumps—his best jump being taken as record.

The feet of the competitor may be placed in any position, but shall touch the ground once only in making a jump. When the feet are lifted from the ground, the competitor's arms are made in making the attempt, it shall count as a trial jump without result. A competitor may kick back and forward lifting his heels and toes alternately from the ground, but may not lift either foot clear of the ground, nor slide either foot along the ground in any direction.

3.—50-Yard Dash; 100-Yard Dash and 220-Yard Run.
A stop watch is necessary in this event. Under the direction of a starter, each individual competitor takes his position on the starting line. As the runner crosses the finish line the timekeeper stops his watch.

A false start is one when any part of the person of a competitor touches the ground in front of his mark before the starter purposely gives his signal. The third false start shall disqualify the offender. The competitor shall keep his hands behind the mark assigned to him.

4.—Running High Jump.
The bar shall be a thin stick and shall rest on pins which shall not project more than three inches from the uprights. When this bar is removed it shall constitute a trial jump without result.

The height shall be measured from the middle of the bar to the ground in a direct line.

Each boy shall be allowed three trial jumps at each height.

Running under the bar in making an attempt to jump shall be counted as a balk and three successive balks shall constitute a trial jump.

The badges have the figure of a hurdler embossed on the center, the first test giving one star, the second two stars, and the third a Greek word below the hurdler.

RELAX RULES OF USING WHEAT

Eighty Percent Flour May
Be Used Instead of
Taking Substitutes

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 4.—Continued from page 1. The relaxation of the rules for the use of wheat flour as a substitute for wheat flour was ordered by the federal food administration for the purpose of increasing the supply of wheat flour as a result of improved conditions abroad.

Frederick McKinney, acting food administrator, said that there should be no let up in the saving of wheat products, but that the restrictions should be modified to meet the needs of the times.

Another change in the wheat conservation program announced today, was abolishment of the rule which restricted flour purchases in towns and cities to one eighth of a barrel of each purchase, and to one quarter of a barrel in rural communities.

The housewife was given the alternative of purchasing wheat flour at the ratio of four pounds to one pound of substitutes or purchasing "wheat mixed flour," which will contain the 2 per cent of substitutes demanded. When the flour is used as a substitute, two pounds must be purchased with each three pounds of wheat flour. The new rule allows flour to be used in the preparation of bread and other food products.

The food administration believes that the new 20 per cent substitute rule extended to the country will result in a saving of wheat of greater than under the former more drastic rules when a year period of only seven months was covered.

No one is asked to continue on a strictly wheat diet, but those who do so will be contributing that much toward winning the war, McKinney said.

ASKS CITIZENSHIP BE INVALIDATED

HONOLULU, T. H., Aug. 28.—(Mail.)—Cancellation of the American citizenship certificate held by Dr. Frank H. Schurmann, author of the book "The War in Germany Through German Eyes," for alleged disloyal utterances and actions, was asked in the federal district court here today.

The action was brought by Assistant United States District Attorney James J. Banks and was based on affidavit by Mrs. John W. Ryan, formerly of Oakland, Cal., who lived in the rooming house conducted by Dr. and Mrs. Schurmann.

Mrs. Ryan swore Dr. Schurmann made many pro-German statements in her hearing. Mrs. Schurmann, she charged, drank to the health of the Kaiser.

Dr. Schurmann was charged also by Mrs. Ryan with smuggling pro-German literature on board vessels bound for Australia.

Mrs. Ryan said she was employed by J. A. Balsek, former treasurer of the Mutual Telephone Company and present a lieutenant in the United States naval reserve, to watch the Schurmanns.

2800 SLACKERS ARE NOW UNDER ARMS

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—Approximately 2,800 draft evaders have been inducted into the army or held for punishment by the courts as the result of the arrest of the 2,800 young men in the first two days of the government's slacker hunt in New York and nearby cities, according to an estimate tonight by Charles F. DeWolfe, chief of the local bureau of investigation of the department of justice.

FLIER MILLIGAN IS KILLED BY FALL

FORT WORTH, Texas, Sept. 4.—Flying Cadet G. M. Milligan, former Pittsburgh National League team pitcher, died here today from injuries received yesterday when he crashed to earth in an airplane with Lieutenant Shirley Green.

Lieutenant Green was instantly killed in the fall, but Cadet Milligan's injuries were not considered serious at the time of the accident.

WILLIAMS APPOINTED.
SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 3.—William B. Williams of Los Angeles, for years a special writer on political subjects for California and Indiana papers, assumed today his duties as recorder of the State Railroad commission. He succeeds Frederick O'Brien, recently appointed assistant director of education of the Federal Food administration.

For four years Williams was secretary of the juvenile court of Los Angeles.

THE WORLD WAR

ROME, Sept. 4.—Six members of the American House of Representatives arrived here today. They are Messrs. Barkley of Kentucky, Aswell of Louisiana, Randall of California, Welles and Mays of Utah and Jones of Texas. Food Minister Crespi returned today from London and expressed the greatest satisfaction over the results attained at the inter-allied food conference.

LONDON, Sept. 4.—The Berlin National Zeitung, a copy of which has been received here, says the German government communicated its regret to M. Joffe, the Russian ambassador in Germany, immediately it learned of the attempt on the life of Premier Lenin.

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—Captain Leonard P. Hawkins of the steamship Yafkin and five ship officers were found guilty of conspiracy against the government tonight. The men took the ship for a marine ship-rig in the Mediterranean and evaded the cruise by selling the ship's stores.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—To conserve building materials needed in the prosecution of the war and to release labor from war work, the war industries board has determined upon a "tightening up policy" as to civilian building plans. The board said in passing on the need for proposed new non-war construction it had called to its aid the state councils of national defense, which will investigate through their local organizations.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—Two deaths caused by aviation accidents in training at flying fields in this country are reported for the week ending August 24. This represents one fatality for every 16,475 hours flown or 827,740 miles of air traveled.

RECEIVED YESTERDAY

Dresses of Unusual Merit

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Beautiful satin dresses in navy, burgundy, taupe and olive green. The styles portray the latest vogue, with trimmings of Georgette crepe, metal buttons, etc. You will find these models far above the average at \$16.98

Fine wool serges and serge and satin combinations. The line shows a wide variety of styles, making it easy to find just the models best suited for you. Come and look over these high grade dresses at \$21.98

PLAID WOOLENS

The Finest We Ever Had

A colorful word picture of these handsome plaids cannot be painted, so we invite you to come and see them. The rich color combinations are wonderfully distinctive. All wool French serge is the material and it's 48 inches wide, yard \$4.00

French Serges SERGES Supreme Quality Plaids and Plains \$1.00

You'll possibly need a good dress or a fine shirt for fall. If so don't fail to see this serge. The quality is excellent, the colors are navy, open, taupe, purple and green, yard \$3.00

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Ginghams, Percales, Cheviots and Shirtings

Look for the big display table today. Light percales, gingham in checks, stripes and plaids and cheviot shirting mostly in blues will be shown.

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Comforter Outing 15c
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39-inch unbleached Muslins 25c
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Huck Towels 15c
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—I appreciate your splendid effort in my behalf.
—Although I was not placed on the ballot, I felt a keen sense of satisfaction in knowing that I have so many friends and supporters in this county.
—I thank you one and all for the vote you gave me—and now that I am out of the race I commend as worthy of your confidence and support for the office of County Recorder at the fall election in November—MR. M. SULLIVAN—a thoroughly qualified man for the office.

W. H. SPENCER.

"ACE" BISHOP FALLS 1000 FEET UNHURT

VANCOUVER, B. C., Sept. 4.—While flying at a height of about 1,000 feet today Lieutenant A. Bishop, Royal Flying Corps, fell with a hydro-airplane recently built for forestry patrol for the Provincial government, landing on the roof of a residence. The engine, dislodged by the impact, crashed through the upper story of the house with Lieutenant Bishop following it into a room. It was said he was not seriously injured. Thousands of persons witnessed the accident. Lieutenant Bishop is a British "ace" and is home on a month's furlough.

AERIAL MAIL TO COAST PREDICTED

CHICAGO, Sept. 4.—Prediction that aerial mail service will soon be extended from Chicago to points in California was made tonight by Captain B. N. Lipaner, superintendent of aerial mail service, who arrived in Chicago today to prepare for the arrival of two airplanes carrying mail from New York, which are expected tomorrow afternoon.

50 S. F. MOTHERS GIVEN GOLD STARS

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 4.—Fifty San Francisco mothers who have lost their sons in the war received gold service stars presented by Mayor James Rolph on behalf of the city at a big ceremonial held in the municipal auditorium here tonight in observance of "Heroes' Mothers' Day."

The meeting featured patriotic selections by military and naval bands, community singing and organ recitals and addresses by city and county officials.

OTTAWA, Sept. 4.—Complete export of the purchase and sale for export of Canadian wheat has been assumed by the government. Control of methods of export also has been assumed. Under the new arrangement the price of wheat for the crop 1918-19 has been fixed and will be maintained for the crop year.

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They're built for boys from 7 to 18 years—and their unexcelled wear resisting qualities cause them to be known all throughout the west as "the fortress of a boy's wardrobe."

Each suit has 2 Pairs Double Taped Seam Pants



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All New Models for Boys Up to 18 Years

New lines are ready—the fall velvets, velvets and plushes in novelty hats and a world of new patterned caps. Sizes for tiny lads and "big fellows" and the proper style for every age—dandy values at

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own cash price, and the prices
we offer it to you do not be-
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values

THIS REMARKABLE MONEY-SAVING EVENT STARTS FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, AT 9:30

Arm and Ham- mer Soda, 1 lb. package	My Wife's May- onnaise, Salad Dressing	L.X.L. Tamale	Pink Salmon	Pearline Wash- ing Powder	Matches, 6 Boxes	Palm Olive Toilet Soap	Our staple brand Steel Cut Coffee, the lb.	B. & M. Fish Flakes	Chi Namel Varnish	Silver Thistle Spices; 1 a r g cans; 12 oz.
6c	10c	4c	12½c	4c	25c	9c	15c	11c	5c	30c

IVORY SOAP		MILK, TALL CANS	
5c		11½c	
Tooth Picks; large box	25c box Swift's toilet Soap	Yacht Vinegar, bottle	Club large can
2c	16c	13c	36c
Golden Age Noodles, Macaroni, Spaghetti		NO MORE LAUNDRY—Box of 24 crinkled WASHLESS TOWELS	
7c		5c	
6c Owl Ci- gars; 6 for	Lucky Strike Tobacco, in 7 oz. glass hu- mlders	Imperial cigarettes; packs	Pedro To- bacco; 13c pouches
25c	55c	25c	10c

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Tailored by America's best makers at the most ridiculous
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One big lot of boys' fall Suits,
values to \$9.00; all sizes from 6
to 16 years in the lot. Your
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One big lot of men's Pants; well
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all sizes from 32 to 42 waist.
Special during this sale at

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MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN'S SHOES

Scout Shoes

Young men's HOME GUARD SHOES;
"regulation" Munson last, in tan only;
sizes 2 1-2 to 5 1-2.
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For men; sizes 6 to 11; soft pure
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NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY

300 pairs of Dress Shoes for the
ladies; up-to-the minute
styles; black or two-tone
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200 pairs of \$8.50 ladies'
two-tone Lace Boots.
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One lot of 500 pairs men's \$5.00 and
\$6.00 dress or work Shoes; made by
Endicott-Johnson, Brown
Shoe Co. and other well
known makers

\$3.39

One lot of young men's
veal calf Dress Shoes;
sizes 1 to 5 1-2

\$1.79

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One big lot of children's and missie
solid leather Dress Shoes of very high
grade, with slight
invisible factory
imperfections

\$1.79

For boys' wearing; Sizes 10 to 13 1-2.
We have a lot of veal
calf blucher shoes;
well made, at

98c

SHOES IN BARGAIN BINS AT LESS THAN COST OF LEATHER

Lot No. 1	9c	Lot No. 5	98c
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Lot No. 3	39c	Lot No. 7	\$1.89
Lot No. 4	69c	Lot No. 8	\$2.45

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good size; made by the
California Cotton
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Lot No. 2—There are 184 of these
\$7.00 high grade comforts, covered
with floralized cotton; come in
extra large size; size 70x80.
While they last

\$4.95

PAMELA CLOTH—Comes in dark
gray, suitable for winter
shirts, skirts or suits.

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The yard
SMYRNA OUTFIT FLANNELS—
Come in dainty pink
and blue stripes.

39c

BLEACHED MUSLIN—Stamped Blue
Bird; 36 inches wide.
Special, the

14c

SCHOOL SERGES
For fall dresses.
The yard

19c

House Lining
The yard

5c

All feather pillows,
covered with Art
ticking

69c

BED SHEETS;
72 by 90;
3 inch hem

98c

BED SPREADS of superior quality, in
full double bed
size; Marseilles
pattern

\$2.39

Apron Gingham, in neat
blue and brown checks.
The yard

15c

One lot heavy linen
Crash towels of good
size, special at

20c

50c heavy Turkish
towels; extra large
size

29c

Crash roller
Towelings.
The yard

10c

\$4.00 corru. Lace Curtains;
3 yards long.
Special

\$2.39

These Extra Specials For Men

25c Sox for dress wear

13c

Men's Overalls with bib.
All sizes 32 to 42

\$1.98

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One big lot best grade
work Shirts; all
sizes

98c

Dress Shirts for fall wear, both
golf and negligee;
\$1.50 grade; all
sizes

89c

Cashmere Gloves

12 1-2

3000 pieces of fall and winter Un-
derwear, Suspenders and Wool Shirts
at big savings.

These Extra Specials For Ladies

One Lot
Bungalow
Aprons

79c

HOSE, the 25c
grade; lisle
finish

13c

\$5.00 small lot
Georgette crepe
Waists

\$2.45

Ladies' muslin Night Gowns; the
\$1.50 grade
with yokes of
embroidery

98c

\$1.00 Bloomers
of pink
Jersey

59c

5000 garments in fall and winter
Underwear, Gowns, Suits, Coats,
Dresses for women and children
will be slaughtered in this sale.

One Lot of \$12.00 Congole-
um Rugs, 9 by 12

\$7.45

All Sizes Children's Khaki
Play Suits

98c

One small lot of \$8.00 Porch
Swings, with steel chains at-
tached

\$3.89

One big lot Women's Khaki
Waists, Coats or Skirts—
Choice,

98c

What Is Your Initial? We
have 200 sets of thin water
glasses with sterling silver
initials

39c

One lot of Men's and Boys'
Khaki Coats, values to \$3.50,
choice

98c

California Oil

STORM IN KANSAS DAMAGES OILFIELD SEVENTEEN WELLS IS BUREAU REPORT

McKITTRICK, Sept. 4.—Information has been received here from the Mid-Continent field that damage done to oil property by the storm in the Butler county, Kansas, district recently has been estimated at nearly \$1,000,000, and that the territory covered by the blow was five miles in length. Within a few minutes the path of the storm was filled with wreckage comprised of portions of derricks, tanks and buildings of varied nature. In some of the leases in the field almost every rig was leveled. Fortunately no person was seriously injured, although there were some very narrow escapes. Among the companies entering the heaviest losses were the Empire Gas and Fuel Company, estimated at \$200,000; Carter Oil Company, and the Keller, Atlantic, Union, Eureka and United San Oil companies.

With a well of 300,000 cubic feet of gas daily, a well declared to be the greatest gas well found in Chautauque county, Kansas in an extended period has been brought in by Kiefer & Morrison in section 27, 31-12, in Chautauque county, Okla. H. P. Wilson, operating in the Hamilton, Switch district, has secured a well doing more than 1400 barrels per day, while in the Tiger flat area a 12,000,000-foot gas well has been completed. The Producers Oil Company, in the Red Fox district, Tulsa county, has a 3,000,000-foot gas well, and "Harker" and "Associates" secured a lease in the same region, have brought in a gas well which produces 6,000,000 cubic feet daily.

FAIL TO AGREE ON OIL LEASING BILL

WASHINGTON, Sept. 4.—Senate and house conferees on the oil leasing bill failed again to settle their differences. Practically the entire session was devoted to objections to a house provision authorizing the secretary of the interior to make a valuation of oil and gas lands for the purpose of determining the amount of royalty to be paid by the prospector.

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WHEN HOT AND TIRED
Fresno's Acid Phosphate gives prompt relief to tired nerves. It cools and refreshes.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 4.—Reports filed with the State Mining Bureau for the week ending August 31, show seven new wells ready to drill, making a total of 344 since the first of the year. This is a decrease of 25 per cent in the number, 724 wells, reported during the same period in 1917.

At the end of December, 1917, every oil producing county in the state registered an increase in average daily production for the year due to the marked impetus in drilling operations. Daily production figures, now available for June, 1918, show however that a decline is now taking place in various important oil fields in the state which is a direct reflection of the decrease in drilling wells. The production figures do not respond immediately to such a decline because of the necessary time that must elapse between the shutting in and completion of a number of wells. However daily production figures, compared for June, 1917, and June, 1918, now show a decline of 1525 barrels per day in the Maracaibo field; 3265 barrels per day in the Los Angeles field; 1525 barrels per day in the Kern river, and 705 barrels per day in the Los Angeles field.

This net increase, for the state, is due, with the exception of drilling in Coalinga, to the development in coast fields. The sharp distinction, with Coalinga excepted, between declines of the valley fields and increases in the coast fields is noteworthy. One of the hopeful signs of a remedy for this condition is that the Oil Land Leasing Bill, the uncertainty of which has undoubtedly retarded development, has been passed by both houses of the Congress of the United States, and is now in conference.

In addition to the seventeen new wells, twenty wells were reported for test of water shut-off, together with eleven deepening or re-drilling and two abandonment jobs.

The detailed list follows:

Company	Sec.	Twp.	R.	Well
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Shell	66	19	15 1
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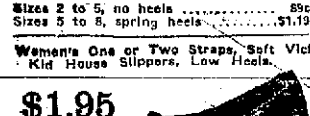
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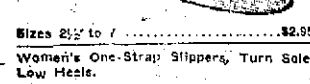
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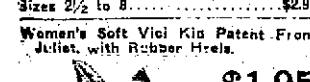
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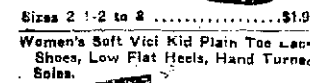
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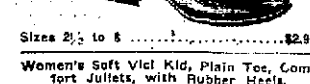
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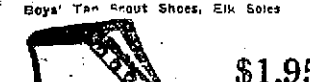
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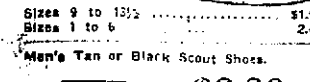
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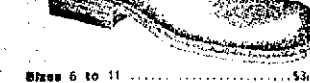
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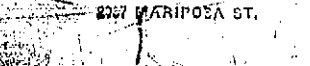
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FOR THEIR COUNTRY

Roll of Those Killed or Wounded, as Announced by U. S. Government Yesterday

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Cook Albert White, Washington, D. C.

Nurse Katherine F. Irwin, Eosier, N. H.

Crilliam Daniel Lamont, Woodgreen, London, England.

Privates

William Edwin Courtney, Lawrence, Kas.

Alfred D. Harmer, Philadelphia, Pa.

Steve Harms, Perth Amboy, N. J.

Charles F. Johnson, Providence, R. I.

James P. McCann, St. Paul, Minn.

Isaac Palmer, Capeville, Tenn.

Willard L. Riley, Alameda, Cal.

Henry W. Schipper, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Russell A. Swisher, Merrill, Ia.

Morris C. Vanderjagt, Cedar Grove, Wis.

Died From Accident and Other Causes

Wagoner Patrick J. Doyle, Worcester, Mass.

Privates

Norvin J. Bowlin, Hedrick, Ia.

Elmer Lester Frazier, Los Angeles, Cal.

Albert W. Lloyd, River Rouge, Mich.

William F. Meade, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Nicholas J. Turkogekes, New York, N. Y.

Died From Airplane Accident

La. Alexander Mah, Thaw, New York, N. Y.

Robert H. Wood, Jr., Charlotteville, Va.

Wounded Severely

La. Jesse C. Goldron, Warenes, Kan.

La. Harold E. Fair, Brooklyn, N. Y.

La. Raymond George Luck, Brown City, Mich.

La. Harry D. Brown, Lowell, Mass.

La. John P. Voge, Appleton, Wis.

Sgt. Hugh L. Allen, Waco, Tex.

Sgt. Fred Harg, Mt. Olive, Ill.

Sgt. Lewis E. Williams, Bridgeport, Conn.

Sgt. Ernest Kessler, Ann Arbor, Mich.

Sgt. Theodore Richard Kutschinski, Grand Rapids, Mich.

Sgt. Walter L. Price, Kitzmiller, Md.

Sgt. Harry Emerson Scott, Grand Rapids, Mich.

Sgt. Frank Brankar, Morone, Austria.

Sgt. Frank D. McCrunk, Rice Lake, Wis.

Sgt. John Partney, Tarnopol, Austria.

Sgt. Frank Rotherman, Baska, Hungary.

Corporals

William Horden, Indianapolis, Ind.

James Chaban, Waterbury, Conn.

Fred M. Drake, Springfield, O.

Nils C. Erickson, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Frank Gunkel, Milwaukee, Wis.

George W. Lancaster, Greenville, S. C.

Victor Magdon, Barreplains, Mass.

Phyller G. Pittman, Tyrone, Okla.

Peter Rawski, Milwaukee, Wis.

George L. Siner, Columbus, O.

Harry Strickland, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Earl J. Watts, Enos Valley, Pa.

William J. Cavanaugh, Gloucester, Mass.

Richard E. Chudobba, Sheboygan, Wis.

William A. Fox, Annville, Ky.

Joseph E. McMahon, Philadelphia, Pa.

Alphonse Nienoch, Hot Springs, Ark.

Joseph Schlader, Oconto, Wis.

William Everett Skinner, Kalamazoo, Mich.

Ross Sprague Saffell, Ann Arbor, Mich.

Edward J. Devino, Burlington, Vt.

John Pagan, Ariz. Ky.

Bernard Patrick Kavanaugh, Kalamazoo, Mich.

Benjamin F. McCormick, Conway, S. C.

John Freeman Macer, Richmond, Mich.

Theodore Miller, Chicago, Ill.

Benjamin A. Moreland, Stanoville, W. Va.

Henry F. Sunderling, Madison, Wis.

Grant Seymour Williams, Hudson, Wis.

Edward C. Yates, Chicago, Ill.

William Zindars, West Deper, Wis.

John Kufrowski, South Milwaukee, Wis.

Hugler Paul Porcha, Galveston, Tex.

Muselman Leroy E. Gray, Alpena, Mich.

Privates

Monte Joseph Greene, Philadelphia, Pa.

Mech. John T. Jacobson, Chisholm, Minn.

Mech. George V. Summers, Elletts, Mo.

Conk Arthur Muri Morris, Durand, Mich.

Privates

George A. Aber, Hartford, Mich.

Harold J. Adams, Peoria, Ill.

Charles Henry Allen, Ionia, Mich.

Roy J. Allen, Georgetown, Miss.

Elmer A. Anderson, Mindoro, Wis.

Paul Andrzejewicz, Detroit, Mich.

George Cornelius Arth, Marlton, N. J.

Edwin J. Aumauler, Battle Creek, Mich.

Elmer G. Bain, Portage, Wis.

Robert W. Bancroft, Windsorville, Conn.

Steve C. Barger, Springfield, Pa.

Alfred Bellum, Chicago, Ill.

Glenn Berger, Thompson, Wyo.

Quido Hookstale, St. Boniface, Manitoba, Canada.

Dolby Brockman, Monett, Mo.

Alfred Bullock, Detroit, Mich.

Curds Carpenter, Antigo, Wis.

Arthur Chatfield, Saint Charles, Mich.

Francis Fitzpatrick, Oshkosh, Wis.

Ira A. Fowler, Clarksville, Pa.

Lee W. Gehr, Broadhead, Wis.

Vincent Gehr, Waukegan, Ill.

John D. Goodwin, East, Mont.

George Holcombe, Rockmart, Ga.

Robert Johnson, Chicago, Ill.

Alexander Kalak, Boston, N. Y.

Fred E. Kandler, New York, N. Y.

Elmer W. Kilgore, New York, N. Y.

Peter Kibben, Williamsport, Pa.

Harry C. Langley, Pauli, Ind.

Charles L. Leonard, Walkersville, Md.

Stavante A. Lindgren, Cambridge, Mass.

Joe Lipsitz, Kourla, Russia.

John L. Lundstrom, Little River, Kan.

Simon E. Machurski, Milwaukee, Wis.

Chester Michalak, Milwaukee, Wis.

Chester E. Miller, Ansonia, Mont.

Andrew Molenock, Uniontown, Pa.

William Mullin, South Akron, Ohio.

James F. Murphy, East Winfield, N. Y.

Brie G. Nelson, Dulson, Wis.

Elmer O. Anderson, Des Moines, Ia.

Emmett E. Bunkton, Independence, La.

Axel Berg, Molde, Norway.

Frank H. Bergstrom, Bristow, Neb.

John Bergstead, Thompson, Ia.

Charles B. Bickel, Philadelphia, Pa.

Arthur M. Donaldson, Lordsburg, N. M.

John H. Everett, Mikado, Mich.

Carl P. Hodges, Kingston, Tenn.

George Holder, Winterset, Mo.

Thorman F. Horn, Summerville, N. C.

John Karantzias, Korinthos, Greece.

Vaughn Kiefer, Stockton, Calif.

Harold T. Leonard, New York, N. Y.

John J. McGrath, North Walpole, N. H.

John N. Meade, Chicago, Ill.

Joe M. Parker, Stens, N. C.

James Edward Powell, Covington, Ky.

Pasquale Rano, Lowellville, O.

Edward Edward Reimer, Marshfield, Wis.

Alonso Roark, Chasby, Mo.

Charles E. Rowan, Windsor, Wis.

Henry J. Schoepner, Pilot Point, Texas.

Anton Schilling, Milwaukee, Wis.

Henry F. Schwalbach, Scotch Plains, N. J.

Joseph Posnowski, Milwaukee, Wis.

Joseph Shattuck, Roxbury, Mass.

Joseph J. Ske, Odessa, Wis.

Thomas Strachan, Oshkosh, Wis.

Richard E. Warner, Genoa, Wis.

Hert B. Bowen, Newport, Mon., Eng.

Orin V. Dewitt, Weatherford, Okla.

Orville J. Essinger, Arlington, O.

Albert Gunderson, Northwood, N. D.

Hermon Hutchell, Hartsville, S. C.

Guidino Marselli, Lucca, Cambriglia, Italy.

George C. Metcalf, Flagpond, Tenn.

Abraham Nemo, Detroit, Mich.

Ignatius G. Oemo, Magnesia, Turkey, Asia.

William Pohrer, New York, N. Y.

Alecia Toellner, Shawano, Wis.

Albert Schudlich, East Manistee, Mich.

James P. Shoemaker, New Hope, N. C.

William Smahl, Hutchinson, Minn.

Natulle Sterling, Windsor Locks, Conn.

Michael A. Stevens, New York, N. Y.

Edna Thorton, Waynesboro, Miss.

Charles Verlin Trumble, Big Rapids, Mich.

John Oscar Venema, Grand Rapids, Mich.

Alfred Augusta Winklesblack, Kalamazoo, Mich.

Daniel Oaks, Springfield, O.

Clarence Orin, Bonanza, S. C.

Bolshaw Fajede, Elizabeth, Park, N. J.

Clarence E. Reynolds, Valleria, Ind.

Edward Norris Savera, Detroit, Mich.

Leonard J. Selter, Wausau, Wis.

Mike Smith, Ashland, Wis.

Orval Smith, Allagan, Mich.

Will Smith, Springfield, Ky.

William Steffen, Wyandotte, Mich.

Eugene H. Springer, Bloomington, Ill.

Emory Clement Stewart, Woodville, Mich.

Claude W. Stripling, Mt. Vernon, Texas.

Clayde L. Strong, East Jordan, Mich.

Edward Steven, Genoa, Mont.

James J. Tackberry, Saul Ste Marie, Mich.

William F. Thornhill, Louisville, Ky.

Frank Wade, Gordon, Wis.

Clinton C. White, Startus, Wash.

Henry White, Deadwood, S. D.

Boys Yelding, Bayouville, La.

Wounded—Degrees Undetermined

Robert Robert Kephart, Charlotte, N. C.

Sergeant Samuel Joseph Commella, Detroit, Mich.

Sergeant Harry L. Klappell, Pittsburg, Pa.

Sergeant Henry Carter Appert, Evansville, Ind.

Sergeant Frederick G. Brown, Warren, O.

Sergeant James B. Macleay, Worcester, Mass.

Sergeant Carl Frederick Richards, Hartford, Conn.

Corporal Michael T. Brennan, Wethfield, Mass.

Corporal Marshall J. Chaney, Chatham, Pa.

Corporal Ross V. Loughran, South Beach, Ore.

Corporal William D. McCarthy, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

Commercial-News

**ALSACE IS MOVED
BACK INTO FRANCE
BY U.S. POSTOFFICE**

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 2.—The historical region of Alsace had been put back on the map of France by the United States post office department, postal authorities announced today in directing that letters addressed to that region be addressed "France" instead of "Germany," as has been the past.


The order applies to the sixty odd towns which have been taken in Alsace by the Allies in various drives. It supercedes an order which has stood for forty-seven years and which directed that all letters sent to Alsace should be addressed "Alsace."

Tuesday's card were adjusted to the satisfaction of all concerned today while

The Connecticut Fair Association announced that it would pay purses to the winners as originally placed and that it would pay additional prize money apart from that included in the regular stake to all winners who had inadvertently been wronged in the decisions.

Mabel Trusk and Miss Harris, M., the two best mares in the game, were booked today for a special match race on Friday.

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SAN FRANCISCO.—Eggs, fresh extra
64c; fresh extra pullets 52c.
Potatoes, Maine, 1st sacks; potatoes
3500 sacks; onions, 2100 sacks; hay, 4c
lumber, hides, 50 number; wine, 61.50
Lemons, \$4.00 to 6.50 box.
Lettuce, \$1.50 to 1.50; white potatoes
\$2.55 to 3.00; green corn, \$2.50 to 2.25.

LIVE STOCK.
SAN FRANCISCO.—There were no re-
ceipts of livestock on the local mar-
ket today. Quotations follow:
Cattle—Native, 1st grade, gross weight
No. 1, 1200 to 1400; No. 2, 1000 to 1200 lb.

GRAIN.

CHICAGO.—Distillings in regard to possible serious damage by frost made the corn market today average higher than the previous session. The price of No. 2 yellow corn advanced to \$1.55 1/2. October, \$1.56 1/2, to \$1.56 3/4, the first gain as a whole 3/4c off to 1/2c up, compared with 24 hours before. The advanced 1/2c for No. 2 white corn. The decline in probabilities varies from 10c decline to a gain of 2 1/2c.

Heavy frosts this morning in Minnesota together with predictions of frost for the remainder of the week, has traded uneasily throughout the session.

Government inquiry pit firmness in oats. Bids, receipts were not larger and Canadian crop estimates were bullish.

Provisions hardened a little, owing to the monthly stock report, which showed

MONEY.

NEW YORK.—Liberty bond closing (The final price on Liberty bonds today) was: First convertible \$94.76; second \$84.00. First convertible \$94.76; second, convertible \$94.76; third \$94.76; fourth \$94.76.

OIL.

SAN FRANCISCO.—The San Fran-

Co. Com.	48 1/2
Sterling Oil & Dev. Co. 1.06	1.50
Union Oil Co. of Cal. 1.70 1/2	
West Coast Oil Co. ..	50

WALL STREET FINANCE.

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—Trading in stocks today assumed wider scope, but the market developed an irregular trend immediately after the firm opening. Important leaders closing mostly at moderate prices.

the section west of the Rockies remained too dry.

For the first time in a fortnight, a money eased a trifle, the rate falling to 2 1/2 per cent in the afternoon when most of the day's requirements had been met.

United States Steel, Mexican Petroleum, Reading, and Southern Railway were, in principle, contributors to the day's business. Steel moved in a one-point, approximating the high record of the pre-

Aside from their steady tone, domestic and foreign bonds were without feature. Total sales, par value, aggregated \$7,575,000. Old United States bonds were unchanged on call.

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to decrease to \$1,000; 19,000,000 bushels of
hens and 2,900,000 pounds of lard.
Close: Corn—September, \$1.55½; Octo-
ber, \$1.56½.
Wheat—September, 70½c; October, 72½c.
Flour—September, \$43.00; October, \$43.45.
Lard—September, \$27.90; October, \$28.50.
Rye—September, \$24.55; October, \$24.55.

SUGAR
NEW YORK Sugar-made centrifugal

MONEY.
NEW YORK.—Liberty bond closing (The final price on Liberty bonds today) was: 2½s, \$101.84; first convertible 4½s, \$94.16; second 4s, \$94.40. First convertible 4½s, \$81.89; second, convertible 4½s, \$94.40; third 4½s, \$95.08.

disclosed stock and bond exchange reports		
the following prices of local oil stocks to		
day together with bid and asked prices		
Sales	Stocks	
270	Associated Oil Co.	\$.62 1/2 \$.63
	Cal. Pet. Corp. Pfd.	.63 1/2 .63
100	Gen. Pet. Corp. Com.	1.03 1/2
	Pac. Crude Oil Co.	.19
	Pac-Am. Pet. & Tr.	
	Co. Pfd.	.91 1/2 .92
	Pac. Am. Pet. & Tr.	

Co. Com.	48%
Sterling Oil & Dev. Co. 1.06	1.50
Union Oil Co. of Cal. 1.705%	
West Coast Oil Co. ..	.50

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War news, although the less impressive, was sufficiently favorable to invigorate further public participation, but commercial busines were less active than yesterday. Rails held the greater part of their gains on announcement that the government contract will soon become operative.

The weekly weather report, coming out yesterday's adverse showing for cotton, indicated mixed crop conditions, central and eastern states being benefited, while

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Early gains of fractions to two points in gold, minerals, equipments, copper, as well as shippings and oils, which largely if not wholly relinquished at the irregular end. Sales amounted to 550,000 shares.

Continued strength of Allied exchange with greater heaviness of rates on neutral countries, especially the Scandinavian centers, again measured the successes of the Entente arms.

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